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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Takahiro ISHIKAWA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1725

Serial No.: 10/033,797

Examiner: Zidia T. Pittman

Filed: January 3, 2002

For: METHOD FOR BONDING DIFFERENT MEMBERS AND COMPOSITE MEMBERS
BONDED BY THE METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND
TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official
Action in the above-identified application. The shortened
statutory period having expired June 13, 2003, it is hereby
requested that the period for response be extended for one month.
There is also attached our Check No. 16657 in the amount of
\$110.00 in payment for:

X Extension fee for response within first month
pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$110.00) [\$55.00].

— Extension fee for response within second month
pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$410.00) [\$205.00].

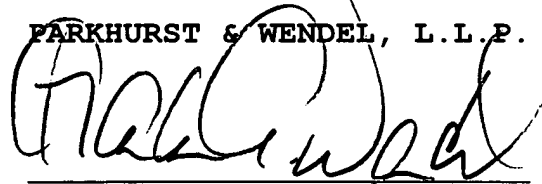
— Extension fee for response within third month
pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$930.00) [\$465.00].

PLEASE ACCEPT THIS AS
AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT
OR CREDIT FEES TO
DEP. ACCT. 16-0331
PARKHURST & WENDEL

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 16-0331. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

PARKHURST & WENDEL, L.L.P.



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June 23, 2003
Date

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